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34 Pages of Specification

5 Pages of Claims

1 Pages of Abstract

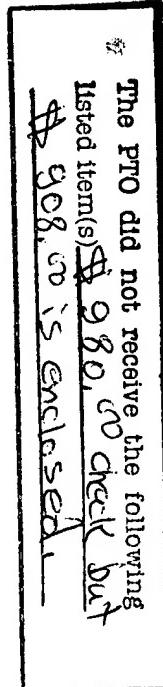
Sheets of  Informal  formal drawings.

Unexecuted Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney

Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status

An assignment of the invention to follow under separate cover.

This Application claims Priority to serial no. 60/196,839 filed April 13, 2000.



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